

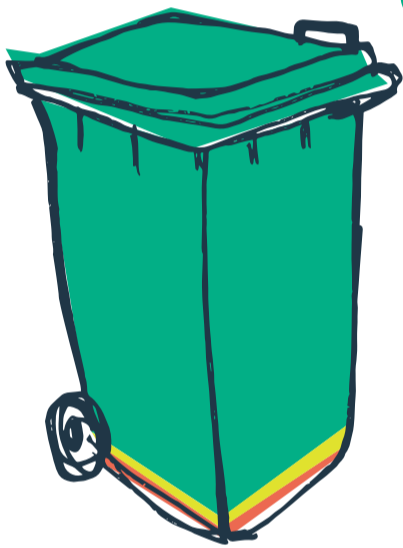
Barwon South West

WHAT'S IN THE ORGANICS BIN?



Barwon South West Councils have two types of bin systems for organics:

FOOD ORGANICS AND GARDEN ORGANICS (FOGO)

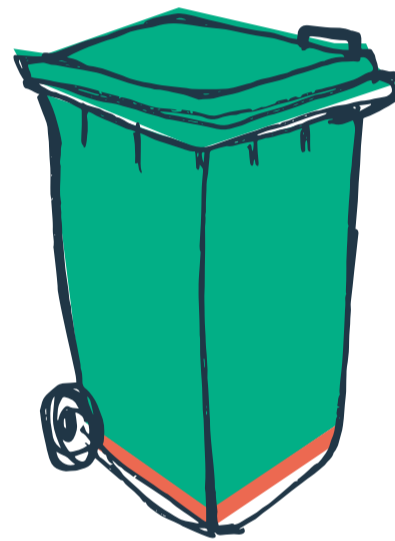


98% **GARDEN** and other organic material

0.8% **FOOD**

1.2% **CONTAMINATES** that don't belong in the organics bin

GARDEN ORGANICS (GO) NO FOOD ALLOWED



98.3% **GARDEN** organic material

1.7% **CONTAMINATES** that don't belong in the organics bin

The main contaminates found in the FOGO bins are:



Bagged Materials



Food Containers



Plastic



Steel

The main contaminates in the GO bin include:

Bagged Materials



Paper

Glass



Clothing & Textiles

Barwon South West households throw away an average of **3kg of food every week!** Over **99%** of this material ends up in landfill.

By putting **food into the FOGO bin** or your home compost, you can significantly **reduce** the amount of waste you send to landfill.

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